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FM AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 0502

INFO DA WASHDC/DAMI-FLT/

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C O N F I D E N T I A L BUCHAREST 4736

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP, RO

SUBJECT: VISIT OF GENERAL ION

REF: A. STATE 157504

B. DA WASHDC/DAMI-FLT MSG 291736Z AUG

C. DA WASHDC/DAMI-FLT MSG 091731Z SEP

1. AT OPENING OF BUCHAREST INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR  
OCTOBER 13, DEFENSE MINISTER GENERAL IONITA DREW  
AMBASSADOR ASIDE TO TELL HIM THAT THE WAY WAS CLEAR  
FOR GENERAL ION TO VISIT THE US IN DECEMBER AND  
THAT WE WOULD BE HEARING SOMETHING MORE FORMALLY  
BEFORE LONG.

2. AS DEPARTMENT AND DOD WILL RECALL, WE HAD EARLIER  
CONVEYED TO GENERAL IONITA THE SUBSTANCE OF GENERAL  
ABRAMS' INVITATION BUT HAD NOT PASSED ON THE FORMAL  
LETTER OF INVITATION BECAUSE OF GENERAL ABRAMS' DEATH.

3. IONITA WAS NOT SPECIFIC IN TERMS OF WHAT TIME IN  
DECEMBER WOULD BE GOOD FOR GENERAL ION. WE WOULD  
APPRECIATE LEARNING WHETHER THERE IS ANY PERIOD THAT  
MONTH WHICH WOULD BE SUITABLE FOR GENERAL WEYAND.  
IF DECEMBER NOT AGREEABLE, WOULD BE USEFUL TO HAVE SOME  
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ALTERNATIVE TIMES EARLY PART OF NEXT YEAR THAT WE COULD

PROPOSE. FROM OUR STANDPOINT IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO  
HAVE THE ION VISIT DATES ALREADY SET BY THE TIME SECRETARY  
KISSINGER ARRIVES EARLY NEXT MONTH.  
BARNES

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